

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re National Stage of International	)	
Application No. PCT/EP2003/011995 under	)	
35 U.S.C. § 371 of:	)	Group Art Unit: 4122
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Massimiliano PAVAN et al.	)	Examiner: LEE, D. H.
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Application No.: 10/577,350	)	
	)	Confirmation No.: 4138
§ 371 Date: March 1, 2007	)	
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For: PROCESS FOR MANUFACTURING A	)	
WATER-RESISTANT	)	
TELECOMMUNICATION CABLE	)	

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

In reply to the Office Action dated January 27, 2009, Applicants request  
reconsideration of this application in view of the following amendments and remarks:

**Amendments to the Claims** are included in this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** follow the amendment sections of this paper.